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Amendment(s) to the claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

1.-112. (Cancelled)

113. (Amended) A method of inhibiting the growth of, or reducing the volume of a solid tumor cancer, comprising administering to a subject having a solid tumor cancer an effective amount of cytoxan or cisplatin and an effective amount of a pharmaceutical composition comprising a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier and an attenuated tumor-targeted bacteria Salmonella, wherein the Salmonella comprises an msbB⁻ mutant.

114. (Cancelled).

115. (Previously presented) The method of claim 113 wherein, the solid tumor or cancer is either a lung cancer or colon cancer.

116. (Previously presented) The method of claim 113 wherein the subject is a mammal.

117. (Previously presented) The method of claim 113 wherein the subject is a human.

118. (Withdrawn).

119. (New) The method of claim 113, further comprising administering an effective amount of cytoxan.

120. (New) The method of claim 113, wherein the administering of

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the attenuated tumor-targeted *Salmonella msbB* and the administering of the cytoxan or cisplatin are not performed concomitantly.

121. (New) The method of claim 115, wherein the solid tumor cancer is a lung cancer.
122. (New) The method of claim 115, wherein the solid tumor cancer is a lung cancer.
123. (New) A method of inhibiting the growth of, or reducing the volume of a solid tumor cancer, comprising administering to a subject having a solid tumor cancer an effective amount of,
 - (a) a pharmaceutical composition consisting essentially of an anti-cancer compound and one or more pharmaceutically acceptable carriers, and
 - (b) an effective amount of a pharmaceutical composition comprising a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier and an attenuated tumor-targeted *Salmonella*, wherein the *Salmonella* comprises an *msbB* mutant.
125. (New) The method of claim 124 wherein the anti-cancer compound is cisplatin.
126. (New) The method of claim 125 wherein the anti-cancer compound is cytoxan.